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Invention: REPLICA COMMERCE  
SYSTEM AND METHOD  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION dated February 26, 2002 (a copy of which is enclosed), applicants submit herewith a signed Declaration and Power of Attorney - Patent Application form and a check in the amount of \$65.00 which covers the fee for the late filing of the Declaration. Please charge any additional fees that may be due in connection with this Declaration to Bose McKinney & Evans LLP's Deposit Account No. 02-3223. A copy of this Letter is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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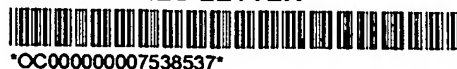
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